SERIAL 05195 C PORTABLE SIGNAGE AND SIGN BOARDS (NIGP 80189)

DATE OF LAST REVISION: January 25, 2006 CONTRACT END DATE: January 31, 2009

CONTRACT PERIOD THROUGH JANUARY 31, 2009

TO: All Departments

FROM: Department of Materials Management

SUBJECT: Contract for **PORTABLE SIGNAGE AND SIGN BOARDS (NIGP 80189)**

Attached to this letter is published an effective purchasing contract for products and/or services to be supplied to Maricopa County activities as awarded by Maricopa County on **January 26, 2006.**

All purchases of products and/or services listed on the attached pages of this letter are to be obtained from the vendor holding the contract. Individuals are responsible to the vendor for purchases made outside of contracts. The contract period is indicated above.

Wes Baysinger, Director Materials Management

CH/ks Attach

Copy to: Clerk of the Board

Ken Stahli, MCTEC

Kathy Sicard, Materials Management

(Please remove Serial 04053-C from your contract notebooks)

PORTABLE SIGNAGE AND SIGN BOARDS [NIGP 80189]

1.0 INTENT:

The intent of this Solicitation is two-fold:

- 1.1 To establish a contract for the procurement of the items <u>presently</u> specified within EXHIBITS 2 and 3.
- 1.2 To establish a listing of qualified Contractors to meet <u>future</u> requirements... <u>Multiple awards (a listing of qualified Contractors)</u> will be made as a result of this Solicitation. As future requirements arise, a Request for Quotation (RFQ) will be issued to each qualified Contractor. Award(s) will be made to the Contractor meeting specifications and offering the lowest price.

MARICOPA COUNTY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADD VENDORS TO THIS CONTRACT OVER ITS TERM TO ENSURE ADEQUATE COMPETITION. ANY VENDORS SUBSEQUENTLY ADDED SHALL COMPLY FULLY WITH THE PROVIONS OF THIS AGREEMENT. Amendments, supplements and/or revisions will be effective upon receipt and approval of notice to the Department of Materials Management.

Participants should understand that all sections of the contract are applicable to this solicitation and that all requests for Quotations (RFQ) from the qualified supplier listing, and all vendor responses to those requests for quotation are subject to the same provisions.

2.0 <u>TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS</u>:

2.1 TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS:

Refer to EXHIBITS 2 and 3.

2.2 BRAND NAME:

Maricopa County reserves the right to request samples to determine quality and acceptability of products bid. In some cases brands have been listed to define quality of products desired and is not intended to be restrictive or limit competition. Products substantially equivalent to those designated shall qualify for consideration.

2.3 DELIVERY:

Delivery is required F.O.B. Destination, freight pre-paid <u>prior to February 28, 2006</u>, to any delivery location within Maricopa County as specified by the County. Contractor shall indicate on Pricing Documentation (Attachment A) any additional freight or handling charges that would be associated with special shipping and/or handling delivery.

It shall be the Contractor's responsibility to meet the County's delivery requirements, as called for in the Technical Specifications. Maricopa County reserves the right to obtain services on the open market in the event the Contractor fails to make delivery and any price differential will be charged against the Contractor.

2.4 EXPEDITED DELIVERY:

If the Using Agency determines that rush shipping or other alternate shipping is required, it shall notify the Contractor. The Contractor shall determine any additional costs associated with such delivery terms and communicate that cost to the Using Agency via fax or other reasonable means.

The Using Agency shall not advise the Contractor to proceed with shipment until acceptable terms are negotiated and a purchase order is issued. Upon determining that the additional costs are reasonable and proper, the Using Agency shall advise the Contractor to proceed.

Upon receipt of material and invoicing, the Using Agency shall ensure that any additional charges are in compliance with and do not exceed those costs stated in the Contract. The Using Agency shall retain all documents related to these costs within the agency purchase order file, for audit purposes.

2.5 SHIPPING:

Shipping shall be F.O.B. destination freight pre-paid to the Using Agency within Maricopa County. The Contractor shall retain title and control of all goods until they are delivered and the contract coverage has been completed. All claims for visible or concealed damage shall be filed by the Contractor. The County will notify the Contractor of any damaged goods and shall assist the Contractor in arranging for inspection.

2.6 SHIPPING DOCUMENTS:

A packing list or other suitable shipping document shall accompany each shipment and shall include the following:

- (1) Name and address of the Contractor;
- (2) Name and address of the County Agency;
- (3) County purchase order number;
- (4) A description of material shipped, including item number, quantity, number of containers and package number, if applicable.

2.7 ACCEPTANCE:

Once the Materials have been delivered, the Using Agency shall have a reasonable opportunity to inspect them. The Using Agency shall have seven (7) days to perform its acceptance testing and inspection of the Materials, after which time the Materials shall be deemed accepted unless the Using Agency rejects the Materials.

2.8 WARRANTY:

The minimum warranty period shall be <u>twelve</u> (12) months for both parts and labor. Warranty repair and/or replacement will be performed at no additional charge to Maricopa County. All warranty periods shall begin upon acceptance by the Using Agency.

2.9 SAMPLES:

Contractors may be requested to furnish samples of products bid for examination by the County. Any items so requested shall be furnished within <u>five</u> (5) working days from the date of request and furnished at <u>no cost</u> to the County and sent to the address designated in the Invitation for Bids.

2.10 TAX:

No tax shall be levied against labor. Bid pricing to include all labor, overhead tools and equipment used, profit, and any taxes that may be levied. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to determine any and all taxes and include the same in bid price.

3.0 **SPECIAL TERMS & CONDITIONS:**

3.1 CONTRACT LENGTH:

This Invitation for Bids is for awarding a firm, fixed price purchasing contract to cover a three (3) year period.

3.2 OPTION TO EXTEND:

The County may, at their option and with the approval of the Contractor, extend the period of this Contract up to a maximum of three (3), one (1) year options. The Contractor shall be notified in writing by the Materials Management Department of the County's intention to extend the contract period at least thirty (30) calendar days prior to the expiration of the original contract period.

3.3 UNCONDITIONAL TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE:

Maricopa County may terminate the resultant Contract for convenience by providing sixty (60) calendar days advance notice to the Contractor.

3.4 ORDERING AUTHORITY:

Contractors should understand that any request for purchase of materials or services shall be accompanied by a valid purchase order, issued by Materials Management, or by a CAPA (Certified Agency Procurement Aid

3.5 INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE:

3.5.1 INDEMNIFICATION.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, Contractor shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the County, its agents, representatives, officers, directors, officials, and employees from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses, including but not limited to attorney fees and costs, relating to this Contract.

The amount and type of insurance coverage requirements set forth herein will in no way be construed as limiting the scope of the indemnity in this paragraph.

The scope of this indemnification does not extend to the negligence of the County.

3.5.2 <u>Insurance Requirements</u>.

CONTRACTOR, at **CONTRACTOR'S** own expense, shall purchase and maintain the herein stipulated minimum insurance from a company or companies duly licensed by the State of Arizona and possessing a current A.M. Best, Inc. rating of B++6. In lieu of State of Arizona licensing, the stipulated insurance may be purchased from a company or companies, which are authorized to do business in the State of Arizona, provided that said insurance companies meet the approval of **COUNTY**. The form of any insurance policies and forms must be acceptable to **COUNTY**.

All insurance required herein shall be maintained in full force and effect until all work or service required to be performed under the terms of the Contract is satisfactorily completed and formally accepted. Failure to do so may, at the sole discretion of **COUNTY**, constitute a material breach of this Contract.

CONTRACTOR'S insurance shall be primary insurance as respects **COUNTY**, and any insurance or self-insurance maintained by **COUNTY** shall not contribute to it.

Any failure to comply with the claim reporting provisions of the insurance policies or any breach of an insurance policy warranty shall not affect coverage afforded under the insurance policies to protect **COUNTY**.

The insurance policies may provide coverage, which contains deductibles or self-insured retentions. Such deductible and/or self-insured retentions shall not be applicable with respect to the coverage provided to **COUNTY** under such policies. **CONTRACTOR** shall be solely responsible for the deductible and/or self-insured retention and **COUNTY**, at its option, may require **CONTRACTOR** to secure payment of such deductibles or self-insured retentions by a surety bond or an irrevocable and unconditional letter of credit.

COUNTY reserves the right to request and to receive, within 10 working days, certified copies of any or all of the herein required insurance policies and/or endorsements. **COUNTY** shall not be obligated, however, to review such policies and/or endorsements or to advise **CONTRACTOR** of any deficiencies in such policies and endorsements, and such receipt shall not relieve **CONTRACTOR** from, or be deemed a waiver of **COUNTY'S** right to insist on strict fulfillment of **CONTRACTOR'S** obligations under this Contract.

The insurance policies required by this Contract, except Workers' Compensation, shall name **COUNTY**, its agents, representatives, officers, directors, officials and employees as Additional Insureds.

The policies required hereunder, except Workers' Compensation, shall contain a waiver of transfer of rights of recovery (subrogation) against **COUNTY**, its agents, representatives, officers, directors, officials and employees for any claims arising out of **CONTRACTOR'S** work or service.

3.5.2.1 Commercial General Liability. CONTRACTOR shall maintain Commercial General Liability Insurance (CGL) and, if necessary, Commercial Umbrella Insurance with a limit of not less than \$1,000,000 for each occurrence with a \$2,000,000 Products/Completed Operations Aggregate and a \$2,000,000 General Aggregate Limit. The policy shall include coverage for bodily injury, broad form property damage, personal injury, products and completed operations and blanket contractual coverage including, but not limited to, the liability assumed under the indemnification provisions of this Contract which coverage will be at least as broad as Insurance Service Office, Inc. Policy Form CG 00 01 10 93 or any replacements thereof. There shall be no endorsement or modification of the CGL limiting the scope of coverage for liability arising from explosion, collapse, or underground property damage.

The policy shall contain a severability of interest provision, and shall not contain a sunset provision or commutation clause, or any provision, which would serve to limit third party action over claims.

The CGL and the commercial umbrella coverage, if any, additional insured endorsement shall be at least as broad as the Insurance Service Office, Inc.'s Additional Insured, Form CG 20 10 10 01, and shall include coverage for **CONTRACTOR'S** operations and products.

3.5.2.2 <u>Automobile Liability</u>. **CONTRACTOR** shall maintain Automobile Liability Insurance and, if necessary, <u>Commercial Umbrella Insurance with a combined single limit for bodily injury and property</u> damage of no less than \$1,000,000, each occurrence, with respect to **CONTRACTOR'S** vehicles (including owned, hired, non-owned), assigned to or used in the performance of this Contract. If hazardous substances, materials, or wastes are to be transported, MCS 90 endorsement shall be included and \$5,000,000 per accident limits for bodily injury and property damage shall apply.

3.5.2.3 Workers' Compensation. **CONTRACTOR** shall carry Workers' Compensation insurance to cover obligations imposed by federal and state statutes having jurisdiction of **CONTRACTOR'S** employees engaged in the performance of the work or services, as well as Employer's Liability insurance of not less than \$100,000 for each accident, \$100,000 disease for each employee, and \$500,000 disease policy limit.

CONTRACTOR waives all rights against **COUNTY** and its agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by the Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability or commercial umbrella liability insurance obtained by **CONTRACTOR** pursuant to this agreement.

In case any work is subcontracted, **CONTRACTOR** will require the Subcontractor to provide Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance to at least the same extent as required of **CONTRACTOR**.

3.5.3 Certificates of Insurance.

3.5.3.1 Prior to commencing work or services under this Contract, Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance, or formal endorsements as required by the Contract in the form provided by the County, issued by Contractor's insurer(s), as evidence that policies providing the required coverage, conditions and limits required by this Contract are in full force and effect. Such certificates shall identify this contract number and title.

In the event any insurance policy(ies) required by this contract is(are) written on a "claims made" basis, coverage shall extend for two years past completion and acceptance of **CONTRACTOR'S** work or services and as evidenced by annual Certificates of Insurance.

If a policy does expire during the life of the Contract, a renewal certificate must be sent to **COUNTY** fifteen (15) days prior to the expiration date.

3.5.3.2 Cancellation and Expiration Notice.

Insurance required herein shall not be permitted to expire, be canceled, or materially changed without thirty (30) days prior written notice to the County.

3.6 PROCUREMENT CARD ORDERING CAPABILITY:

It is the intent of Maricopa County to utilize a procurement card that may be used by the County from time to time, to place and make payment for orders under the Contract. Contractors without this capability may be considered non-responsive and not eligible for award consideration.

3.7 INQUIRIES AND NOTICES:

All inquiries concerning information herein shall be addressed to:

MARICOPA COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF MATERIALS MANAGEMENT
ATTN: CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION
320 W. LINCOLN ST.
PHOENIX, AZ 85003

Administrative telephone inquiries shall be addressed to:

CHARLES HINEGARDNER, PROCUREMENT CONSULTANT, 602-506-6476 (chinegar@mail.maricopa.gov)

Technical telephone inquiries shall be addressed to:

KEN STAHLI, ELECTIONS, 602-506-1540 (kstahli@risc.maricopa.gov)

Inquiries may be submitted by telephone but must be followed up in writing. No oral communication is binding on Maricopa County.

3.8 SUBMISSION PRICE CLARITY:

For reasons of clarity all submissions of pricing (Attachment A) shall be priced in the same unit (size, volume, quantity, weight, etc.) as the bid specifications request. Submissions (bids) failing to comply with this requirement may be declared non-responsive.

3.9 MARICOPA COUNTY VENDOR REGISTRATION

Each Vendor responding to this solicitation shall register online following the procedures identified in EXHIBIT 1 – VENDOR REGISTRATION PROCEDURES. Upon completion of registration, a ten (10) character Identification Number, beginning with the letter "W" will be assigned. This Identification Number shall be included in ATTACHMENT A (Pricing) where indicated. Bids submitted without this number may be deemed non-responsive and not considered for award.

3.10 INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING AND SUBMITTING BIDS:

Respondents are to provide two (2) copies of ATTACHMENT A, B, C, E, F and G, any required Submittals, and a signed ADDENDA Face Page of the Solicitation (if applicable). ATTACHMENT B must bear original signatures. ATTACHMENT A (Pricing) must also be on a CD in an Excel format. Respondents are to identify their responses with the bid serial number, title and return address to Maricopa County, Department of Materials Management, 320 West Lincoln, Phoenix, Arizona 85003. A corporate official who has been authorized to make such commitments must sign bids.

3.11 REQUIRED SUBMITTALS:

The following information shall be submitted as part of the Response. Failure to provide all the required submittals will cause the bid to be considered non-responsive:

3.11.1 Two copies of the following:

- 3.11.1.1 Attachment A Pricing
- 3.11.1.2 Attachments B Agreement Page (with original signatures)
- 3.11.1.3 Attachment C References
- 3.11.1.4 Attachments E, F, G M/WSBE Documents
- 3.11.1.5 Signed ADDENDA Face Page of Solicitation (if applicable)
- 3.11.1.6 Vendor Registration ID Number included in Attachment A (Pricing)

3.11.2 One copy of Attachment A – Pricing on a CD formatted in EXCEL

3.12 EVALUATION CRITERIA:

The evaluation of this Bid will be based on, but not limited to, the following:

- 3.12.1 Compliance with specifications
- 3.12.2 Price
- 3.12.3 Determination of responsibility

The County reserves the right to award in whole or in part, by item or group of items, by section or geographic area, or make multiple awards, where such action serves the County's best interest.

CENTERLINE SUPPLY WEST, INC., PO BOX 20442, PHOENIX, AZ 85036-0442

PRICING SHEET C990520/B0700116/NIGP 80189					
WILLING TO ACCEPT FUTURE SOLICITATIONS VIA EMAIL: _XYESNO					
WILL YOUR FIRM ACCEPT A PROCUREMENT CARD FOR INVOICE PAYMENT?X_YES NO					
IF YES, MAY THE COUNTY TAKE ADVANTAGE OF DISCOUNTS OFFERED BY YOUR FIRM IN THIS BID/RFP WHEN PAYING WITH A PROCUREMENT CARD?YESXNO					
INTERNET ORDERING CAPABILITY:YESXNO% DISCOUNT					
OTHER GOV'T. AGENCIES MAY USE THIS CONTRACT:XYESNO					
1.0 PRICING:					
	<u>Quantity</u>	Sign Type	<u>Unit Cost</u>	Extended Price	
1.1	300 Sign Boards	"Vote Here/Aqui Per Exhibit 2	" \$ 61.64 /ea.	\$ 18,492.00	
1.2	1500 Sign Boards	"Identification" Per Exhibit 3	\$ 57.50 /ea.	\$ 86,250.00	
Terms:			Net 30		
Vendor Number:			W000001231 X		
Telephone Number:			602-258-3142		
Fax Number:			602-258-2535		
Contact Person:			Bill McDaniel		
E-mail Address:			cswmartha@west.net		
Company Web Site:			www.centerlinesupply.com		
Certificates of Insurance			Required		
Contract Period:			To cover the period ending January 31, 2009.		